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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 332-592]

USMCA Automotive Rules of Origin: Economic Impact and Operation, 2023 Report

Hearing update; extension of deadline for requests to appear and written submissions

AGENCY: United States International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

DATES: October 3, 2022.

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<u>SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION</u>: On August 9, 2022, the Commission established a schedule for the conduct of the investigation (87 FR 48495). The Commission hereby gives notice that the

hearing in connection with the investigation will be held in-person at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building beginning at 9:30am on November 3, 2022.

Requests to appear at the hearing should be filed in writing with the Secretary to the Commission on or before October 11, 2022. Any requests to appear as a witness via videoconference must be included with your request to appear. Requests to appear as a witness via videoconference must include a statement explaining why the witness cannot appear in person; the Chairman, or other person designated to conduct the investigation, may at their discretion for good cause shown, grant such requests. Requests to appear as a witness via videoconference due to illness or a positive COVID-19 test result may be submitted by 3pm the business day prior to the hearing.

All prehearing briefs and statements should be filed not later than 5:15 p.m., October 13, 2022. To facilitate the hearing, including the preparation of an accurate written transcript of the hearing, oral testimony to be presented at the hearing must be submitted to the Commission electronically no later than noon, October 27, 2022. Further information about participation in the hearing will be posted on the Commission's website at https://usitc.gov/research_and_analysis/what_we_are_working_on.htm. In lieu of or in addition to participating in the hearing, interested parties are invited to file written submissions concerning this investigation. All written submissions should be addressed to the Secretary and should be received not later than November 25, 2022.

For further information concerning this proceeding and filing procedures see the Commission's notice cited above.

By order of the Commission.

Issued: October 3, 2022.

Katherine Hiner,

Acting Secretary to the Commission.

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